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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a one-month extension of time (to and including August 15, 2002) for responding to the Office Action mailed April 15, 2002. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith.
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